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A Sunday's paper.

Q You mean Sunday September 17th?

A Yes, I guess that would be it.

Q Did you put two and two together and connect the finding of the dead bodies with the quarrel and shots you had heard?

A Well, I didn't quite think of that. I didn't think anything at the time.

Q Oh, I see, it never occurred to you?

A Well, I didn't think anything. The truth of the matter is this, that I didn't know where I was when I did go in there. I have never been down there before in my life. I really didn't know where I was. I didn't know who owned the property or who lived on it, or anything about it.

Q You have done a good deal of night riding in the course of your lifetime?

A I have done a good deal of night riding? No, I haven't done a good deal of it.

Q Haven't you been out frequently on your mule "Jenny?"

A Yes, when my hogs get out I hunt them up.

Q Was this the first time you ever made an expedition on your mule at night?

A Yes, this was the first time. ~~when~~ I am a very poor hand to go out nights any way.

Q Why, are you afraid?